

IN THE COUNTY.

—J. H. Trembley, who was recently elected secretary of the Webster Groves Building and Loan Association, died his bond of \$4,000 in the Circuit Court at Clayton yesterday. It was approved by Judge McWhinnie.

—Examinations for admissions to schools, higher than the eighth grade, in various parts of the State were conducted at Clayton yesterday by Superintendent J. Will Andrae, assisted by Miss Lavanina Gray of St. Louis. The examinations were in nine branches and will be concluded to-day. The county is taking the examination.

—John J. Yarnall, Jr., pleaded guilty in the Clayton Circuit Court yesterday to a charge of obtaining money under false pretenses and was sentenced to sixty days in jail. Yarnall obtained \$25 from Gerald DeHog of Kilmory, Illinois, by means of a check. Yarnall was formerly a prominent business man in St. Louis. The check that DeHog cashed purported to be endorsed by Yarnall, Sr., and drawn on a manufacturing company in Dallas.

—The St. Louis Glass Sand Company was granted a decree of dissolution in the Circuit Court yesterday. The company was organized in 1902 and had headquarters in Pacific. It was doing a flourishing business until its plant was destroyed by fire.

BANK CLERKS' ELECTION.—At the annual meeting of the Bank Clerks' Association of Missouri directors were elected as follows: Hugo Boehl, J. P. Boyce, DeLacy Chandler, B. F. Edwards, F. Poukander, J. M. Garache, H. S. Mittenberger, Porter Pickett, R. M. Richter, J. G. Schuler and C. M. Willing. The trustees chosen were C. E. Kircher, F. W. Biehn, J. H. McCluney, T. A. Stoddard, and J.

SKYSCRAPERS ARE NOW IN A FURST.

Owners of Chicago Office Buildings Form a Syndicate to Increase Rents.

REPUBLIC SPECIAL.

Chicago, May 24.—The great office buildings of Chicago are to be controlled by an association or syndicate of owners. At a meeting of the agents of the downtown skyscrapers held last night, a committee of five was appointed to effect a permanent organization. The properties interested will mount into the millions.

While the men interested in the formation of the office building combine insisted that the combination was for the purpose of mutual protection and the bettering of their business by an exchange of ideas, it is hinted that an increase of rents in all of the prominent buildings is the true reason for the consolidation of the great interests.

The question of supplies was also seriously considered. The supplies of the downtown average big building amount into the thousands of dollars each year and, with a combination, the same goods could be bought in greater quantities for much less.

KILLED IN A QUARREL.—John McNeill, a negro, was shot and instantly killed by George Holland, a negro, in their home at No. 1216 North Ninth street, yesterday morning. The quarrel over a woman had ended. McNeill's body was taken

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